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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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IN RE: WORLD TRADE CENTER LOWER	:
MANHATTAN DISASTER SITE LITIGATION	:
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LUIS RODRIGUEZ	:
v.	:
THE RELATED COMPANIES, L.P.,	:
RELATED MANAGEMENT COMPANY, L.P.,	:
THE RELATED REALTY GROUP, INC.,	:
RELATED BPC ASSOCIATES, INC., and	:
LIBERTY VIEW ASSOCIATES, L.P.	:
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21 MC 102 (AKH)

**THE RELATED
 DEFENDANTS'
 ADOPTION OF
 ANSWER TO
MASTER COMPLAINT**


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PLEASE TAKE NOTE THAT Defendants, The Related Companies, L.P., Related Management Company, L.P., The Related Realty Group, Inc., Related BPC Associates, Inc., and Liberty View Associates, L.P., ("Related Defendants") by their attorneys, London Fischer, LLP, as and for their responses to the allegations set forth in the Complaint by Adoption (Check-off Complaint) Related to the Master Complaint filed in the above-referenced action , hereby adopt The Related Defendants Answer to Master Complaint, dated August 3, 2007, which was filed in the matter of In re World Trade Center lower Manhattan Disaster Site Litigation, 21 MC 102 (AKH).

WHEREFORE, the Related Defendants demand judgment dismissing the above-captioned action as against each of them, together with their costs and disbursements.

Dated: New York, New York
January 23, 2008

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I caused a true copy of The Related Defendants' Notice of Adoption of Answer to Master Complaint was served via First Class Mail on the day of January 23, 2008, upon the following:

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The undersigned further certifies that on January 23, 2008, I caused the Notice of Adoption of Answer to Master Complaint to be electronically served via the Court's ECF System.

Dated: January 23, 2008

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G HK", is written above a horizontal line.

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